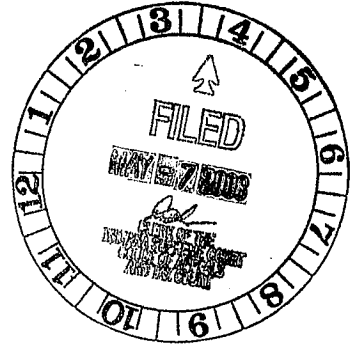


In the
Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF)
THE APPOINTMENT OF)
JOHN T. SHARPNACK)
AS SENIOR JUDGE IN)
THE INDIANA COURT OF APPEALS)

Cause No. 94S00-0805-MS-245

ORDER APPOINTING SENIOR JUDGE

The Honorable John G. Baker, Chief Judge of the Indiana Court of Appeals, requests the appointment of Senior Judge John T. Sharpnack for service in the Court of Appeals for 2008, pursuant to Ind. Code §33-23-3-1.

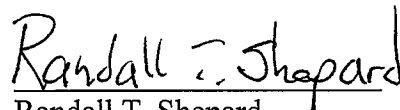
This Court adopted revisions to Administrative Rule 5 on December 3, 2003, which made certain changes to the senior judge program in recognition of the importance of senior judges to the administration of justice in Indiana trial courts. Accordingly, we find that the Indiana Court of Appeals has demonstrated the need for additional judicial resources. Senior Judge John T. Sharpnack has been certified as a senior judge by the Judicial Nominating Commission pursuant to Ind. Code §33-27-4-1. This Court may re-examine the appointment made herein at a later date in light of other circumstances, and make adjustments accordingly.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Senior Judge John T. Sharpnack is appointed to serve in the Indiana Court of Appeals at the discretion of the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, effective retroactive to **May 5, 2008**. This appointment shall remain in effect until **December 31, 2008**. Pursuant to Ind. Code §33-23-3-5, the senior judge appointed by this Court

in this Order may not be compensated as a senior judge for more than one hundred (100) days in the aggregate during the 2008 calendar year.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a certified copy of this order to the Honorable John G. Baker, Chief Judge of the Indiana Court of Appeals; to the Honorable John T. Sharpnack; to the Clerk of the Indiana Supreme Court and Court of Appeals; to the Indiana Judicial Center; to the Judicial Qualifications Commission; and to the Division of State Court Administration, Payroll Section.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana this 7th day of May, 2008.


Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana